



Inspection Report

Nancy Carlson Thomas Carlson
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Customer ID: **20344**

Certificate: **42-A-0954**

Site: 001

THOMAS J. OR NANCY C.
CARLSON

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 15-JUN-2023

3.6(c)(1)(i)

Primary enclosures.

Three 18 week old dachshunds are housed together in a single enclosure that does not provide them the minimum amount of required floor space. The dachshunds each measure 22 inches from the tip of the nose to the base of the tail and they are housed in an enclosure with a floor that is 24 inches x 48 inches. They would require a minimum of 2,352 square inches of floor space, and the enclosure they are in provides 1,152 square inches.

Dogs need adequate space to move around freely and perform normal behavior movements without being crowded or unavoidably contacting other dogs.

Each dog housed in a primary enclosure (including weaned puppies) must be provided a minimum amount of floor space, calculated as follows: Find the mathematical square of the sum of the length of the dog in inches (measured from the tip of its nose to the base of its tail) plus 6 inches. The calculation is: (length of dog in inches + 6) x (length of dog in inches + 6) = required floor space in square inches. The dogs were moved to a larger enclosure that provides adequate floor space.

3.13(b)(3)

Veterinary care for dogs.

There are no records of when vaccinations or parasite control treatments were given for most the 61 adult dogs in the facility. The licensee says they routinely do these preventative measures for all the adult dogs at one time in early January, but they have not documented it.

The provision of adequate adequate veterinary preventative care (as outlined in the facilities Program of Veterinary Care and signed by the attending veterinarian) is critical to the maintenance of the health and wellbeing of the dogs and must be documented. The facility must keep copies of medical records for dogs and make the records available for USDA inspection. These records must include the names of all vaccines and treatments administered and the dates of administration.

To be corrected by: June 22, 2023

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
20344	42-A-0954	001	THOMAS J. OR NANCY C. CARLSON	15-JUN-2023

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000061	<i>Canis familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000015	<i>Canis familiaris</i>	DOG PUPPY
000076	Total	